

Conference May 24, 2006

Student Center 9:15 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Continental Breakfast and Opening Remarks

State Lounge, Fifth Floor

Aaron Kozbelt, Psychology

Provost Roberta S. Matthews, English

10 to 11:15 a.m.

Symposia

A Stern View of Humor

State Lounge, Fifth Floor

Session Moderator: Liz Weis, Film

Dan Gurskis, Film, "All I Really Need to Know I Learned

from The Dick Van Dyke Show"

George Rodman, Television and Radio, "Is the Joke Dead?"

Digital Media: Revolution and Repercussion

Occidental Lounge, Fifth Floor

Session Moderator: Eric Alterman, English

Frederick Wasser, *Television and Radio*, "The Film Industry and Proliferating Media"

Samir Chopra, Computer and Information Science, "Digital Media and the Threat to Freedom—Political or Otherwise"

Tanni Haas, Speech Communication Arts and Sciences,

"From Public Journalism to the Public's Journalism: Rhetoric and Reality in the Discourse on Weblogs"

Katherine Fry, *Television and Radio*, "Advertising and Consumption in the Digital Age"

A Question of Engagement: The Role of the Arts and Contemplative Practices in Teaching

Jefferson-Williams Lounge, Fourth Floor

Session Moderator: Michele Greene, Health and Nutrition Sciences

Geri DeLuca, English; David Forbes, Education,

"Creating Mindfulness in the College Classroom through Contemplative Practices"

Karel Rose, Education; Peter Taubman, Education, "Utilizing Aesthetic Experiences in the College Classroom to Nourish the Intellect, Imagination, and Capacity for Empathy"

Human and Machine Problem-Solving

Alumni Lounge, Fourth Floor

Session Moderator: Paula Whitlock, Computer and Information Science

Jonathan Adler, *Philosophy*, "A Philosophical Perspective on Artificial Intelligence"

James Cox, Computer and Information Science, "The Possibility of Artificial Intelligence"

Danny Kopec, Computer and Information Science, "What Humans and Machines Can and Cannot Do"

11:30 a.m. to 12:45 p.m.

Symposia

Artistic Presentation: Sharing Voices

State Lounge, Fifth Floor

Session Moderator: Martha Corpus, Library

Carolina Mancuso, Education, "A Solo Performance of Excerpts from A Letter Ledge"

Open Mike for Readings of Short Works of Fiction and Nonfiction Written by Faculty

Offshore Outsourcing: Changes Ahead for Jobs, Education and United States Competitiveness

Occidental Lounge, Fifth Floor

Session Moderator: Deborah Shanley, Education

Merih Uctum, *Economics*, "An International Perspective on Outsourcing: Is the United States the Biggest Outsourcer and Why Don't We Worry about Outsourcing the Production of Goods?"

Hervé Queneau, *Economics*, "The Effect of Outsourcing on Jobs in the U.S."

Carol M. Connell, *Economics*, "The Impact of Offshore Outsourcing on Knowledge, Organizational Learning, and Innovation: How and When Does Offshore Outsourcing Enable Learning by Doing, Knowledge Creation, and New Product Development?"

The Use of Confidential Sources in Journalism: An Informal Panel Discussion

Jefferson-Williams Lounge, Fourth Floor

Discussants: Anthony Mancini, English; Paul Moses, English; Adrian Meppen, Television and Radio

(Re)Defining Urban: Lessons from a Changing Community Alumni Lounge, Fourth Floor

Session Moderator: Sherry Giles, Education

Haroon Kharem, Education, "Fist to Cuffs: Youth, Crime, and School Change in East New York"

Wayne Reed, Education, "Building Community Schools, Building Community Teaching"

Noel Anderson, *Political Science*, "From Wasteland to New Frontier: Fast New York in Transition"

12:45 to 2:15 p.m.

Lunch, Posters, Roundtables

Posters

Maroon Room, Sixth Floor

I. Authors' Corner

Beth Evans, Library

Barbra Higginbotham, *Library* Jane Cramer, *Library* Sally Bowdoin, *Library*

2. Teaching and Copyright: Support from the Brooklyn College Library

Judith Wild, *Library*Mariana Regalado, *Library*Sylvie Richards, *Academic Information Technologies*

3. Mentor vs. Supervisor: They Both Score a Lot of Points for a Student's Professional Career

Renee Fabus, Speech Communication Arts and Sciences

4. Co-Occurrence of Language and Motor Deficits In Preschool Children

Renee Fabus, Speech Communication Arts and Sciences

5. School-Based Behavioral Treatment of Selectively Mute Children: An Ongoing Research Study

Graciela Elizalde-Utnick, Education

6. "Who's the Boss?" Young Leaders' Power and Influence in an Early Childhood Classroom

Yoon-Joo Lee, Education
Susan L. Recchia, Columbia University

7. The Discourse Modification Training Program

Susan Longtin, Speech Communication Arts and Sciences

8. Voice Disorders: Audio-Demonstrations of Dysphonic Voices before and after Voice Therapy

Natalie Schaeffer, Speech Communication Arts and Sciences

9. Dynamic Evaluation of Matisse's 1935 Painting Large Reclining Nude

Aaron Kozbelt, Psychology

10. Eye, Brain, and Sex

Israel Abramov, *Psychology*James Gordon, *Psychology*, *Hunter College*John Bibawy, *Psychology*Mena J. Abrahim, *Psychology*Pooja Bhatt, *Psychology*Olga Feldman, *Psychology*

II. Television Use and Its Impact on Cognition in Elderly Women

Joshua Fogel, Economics

12. Sex Differences in Finger Digit Ratio Are Disrupted in Adolescents with Schizotypal Personality Disorder

Deborah Walder, Psychology

Amanda McMillan, Psychology, Emory University

S. Marc Breedlove, Neuroscience, Psychology, and Zoology, Michigan State University

Terese Anderson, Psychology, Emory University

Elaine F. Walker, Psychology, Emory University

13. The Long-Term Behavioral Effects of Exposure to the Endocrine-Disrupting Compound Ethinyl Estradiol (EE₂) on the Four-Spined Stickleback, *Apeltes quadracus*

Kristine Kuroiwa, Biology

14. Antipyrine Metabolism in Firefighters Participating in the 1992 "Irkutskcable" Factory Fire in Shelekhov, Russia

lean A. Grassman, Health and Nutrition Sciences

Yuri I. Chernyak, Institute of Occupational Health and Human Ecology of Siberian Branch of Academy of Medical Sciences, Russia

Alla P. Merinova, Institute of Occupational Health and Human Ecology of Siberian Branch of Academy of Medical Sciences, Russia

Andrew L. Vereschagin, Limnological Institute of Siberian Branch of Academy of Medical Sciences, Russia

Nina Y. Ziryanova, Hospital Out-Patients' Clinic, Department of Internal Affairs, Irkutsk, Russia

Rufina Y. Chernyak, *Translator*

15. Diagnostic Utility of Pharmacologically Induced Changes in P Wave Morphology

Christopher C. Dunbar, *Physical Education and Exercise Science*Barry I. Saul, *Division of Cardiology, New York Methodist Hospital,*Brooklyn, New York

16. Coffee, Caffeine, and Cardiovascular Disease

James Greenberg, Health and Nutrition Sciences

Christopher C. Dunbar, *Physical Education and Exercise Science* John Kassotis, *Cardiology, SUNY Downstate Medical Center*

17. Effect of Atkins Diet on Insulin Resistance and Glycemic Control in Dietary Obese Rats

Kathleen V. Axen, Health and Nutrition Sciences Kenneth Axen, Health and Nutrition Sciences

18. Whom Can I Turn To?: The Links Between Unstable Living Situation, HIV, and Teen Motherhood

Jeffrey M. Birnbaum, SUNY Downstate Medical Center Elizabeth A. Eastwood, Health and Nutrition Sciences Patricia Antoniello, Health and Nutrition Sciences Alexander Kaysin, Brooklyn College

19. Creating Spaces for Silenced Voices: LGBT Issues at Brooklyn College

Bobby Bui, Education
Paul McCabe, Education
Michael Meagher, Education
Wayne Reed, Education
Florence Rubinson, Education

20. A Study of High School Students' Attitudes toward Physical Education and Activities Preference in New York City

Howard Zhenhao Zeng, *Physical Education and Exercise Science*Manuel Martinez-Pons, *Education*

21. A Survey of Preference and Benefits for Girls in Two Types of Physical Education Classes

Stephanie Santoro, Physical Education and Exercise Science Howard Zhenhao Zeng, Physical Education and Exercise Science

22. Development and Evaluation of a Qualitative Teaching Performance Scale for Physical Education Student Teachers (QTPSPEST)

Howard Zhenhao Zeng, Physical Education and Exercise Science

23. The Relative Effects of Parental Support, IQ, and Emotional Intelligence on Social Functioning

Denis Dankin, James Madison High School
Manuel Martinez-Pons, Education

24. Acquisition of Knowledge of Democracy and Democratic Practice

Deborah Shanley, Education

Vincent Fuccillo, Political Science

Manuel Martinez-Pons, Education

25. Tastes of New York: Cultures through Cuisine

Annie Hauck-Lawson, Health and Nutrition Sciences Jonathan Deutsch, Kingsborough Community College

26. Nancy Spero Video Anthology by Irene Sosa

Irene Sosa, Television and Radio

27. Images of the Brooklyn Bridge: Photography Exhibition

David Fuys, Education

Roundtables

Gold Room, Sixth Floor

I. Teaching Non-Native English Speakers

Fabio Girelli-Carasi, Modern Languages and Literatures Mark Patkowski, English Len Fox, English Elaine Brooks, English

2. Grant Writing 101—No Prerequisites Required

Barbara Naso, Research and Sponsored Programs Sabrina Cerezo, Research and Sponsored Programs Ray Gavin, Biology

3. Drop-In Clinic on Student Writing

Liz Weis, Film Lilia Melani, English Jonathan Gray, Brooklyn College Writing Fellow Krystyna Zamorska, Brooklyn College Writing Fellow

4. Second City: The Culture of Brooklyn in the Twenty-first Century

Martha Jane Nadell, English

5. The Challenge of Work: Are Our Students Prepared for Career Success?

Robert Oliva, Career Development and Internships Natalia Guarin-Klein, Career Development and Internships Hervé Queneau, Economics

6. Critical Thinking

David Balk, Health and Nutrition Sciences Wayne Powell, Geology

7. Strategies for Teaching Controversial Issues

Philip F. Gallagher, *History* Sherry Giles, *Education* Wendy Fairey, *English*

8. Creating Spaces for Silenced Voices: LGBT Issues at Brooklyn College

Bobby Bui, Education
Paul McCabe, Education
Michael Meagher, Education
Wayne Reed, Education
Florence Rubinson, Education

Faculty Talent Show

State Lounge, Fifth Floor

Master of Ceremonies: Paul Shelden, Research and Graduate Studies; Music

Faculty Day Chorus Jonathan Babcock, conductor, Music

Jocelyn Berger-Barrera, Library; Charlene Forest, Biology; Katherine Fry, Television and Radio; Wilda Gallagher, Education; Michael Hipscher, Physical Education and Exercise Science; Jackie Jones, Computer and Information Science; Eleanor Miele, Education; Bruce Neimeyer, Enrollment Services; Lisa Novemsky, Education; Anselma Rodriguez, Research and Graduate Studies; Barbara Rosenfeld, Education; Judith Wild, Library

Richard Magliozzo, piano, Chemistry

Debussy, from Études, Book I,

Pour les cinq doigts, Pour les octaves

Roger Dunkle, *piano, Classics* Jazz Selections

Geri DeLuca, voice, guitar, English; Len Fox, voice, guitar, English; David Forbes, voice, mandolin, Education

Barbara Heyman, piano, College Information and Publications Guest, clarinet

Brahms, Sonata for Clarinet and Piano in F minor, op. 120, no. I

Faculty Day Chorus

Brooklyn College Alma Mater

Symposia

Visions, Voices, Videos: Documentaries by Women Filmmakers

State Lounge, Fifth Floor

Session Moderator: Paula Massood, Film
Annette Danto, Film, The Never Ending Path
Irene Sosa, Television and Radio, Sueño Paria: Wilfred Merle
Irina Patkanian, Television and Radio, My American Neighbor

The Never Ending Path (35 min.) tells the stories of five families living in the Dindigul District of Tamil Nadu, a region made up of thousands of small villages, most with no electricity, inadequate health care, and ongoing problems with poor sanitation and insufficient water.

The film considers issues of dowry, educational opportunities for girls, and economic hardship, as well as intercaste and arranged marriage.

Sueño Paria: Wilfred Merle (18 min.) focuses on an ecological tourism project on the western coast of Venezuela and its main promoter, Wilfred Merle.

My American Neighbor (30 min.) looks at America and its dream through interviews with Americans living in Russia, France, Italy, Greece, and Egypt, who reflect on the importance of distance in one's understanding of homeland.

Breaking Bread: How Junior and Senior English Department Faculty Ate, Schmoozed, and Changed Their Teaching at Brooklyn College

Jefferson-Williams Lounge, Fourth Floor

Session Moderator: Roni Natov, English

James Davis, English, "What Should Happen during Class Time?"

Joseph Entin, English, "Some Thoughts on Student Agency"

Nicola Masciandaro, English, "Reading Historically in the Classroom: A Medievalist's Perspective"

Geoffrey Minter, English, "From Rousseau to Oprah: Striking a Balance between Lecture and Classroom Discussion"

Brooke Jewett Nadal, English, "What Are We Grading?"

Martha Nadell, English, "From Five Paragraphs to Graphic Novels: Teaching Student Writing"

On Pedagogy, Ethics, and the Development of Character: Should Ethical Values Be Explicitly Taught in the Classroom?

Alumni Lounge, Fourth Floor

Session Moderator: Peter Taubman, Education

Discussants: Angelica Nuzzo, Philosophy; Gail Gurland, Speech Communication Arts and Sciences; Paul McCabe, Education

5:30 to 6:30 p.m.

Awards Ceremony and Faculty Reception

Penthouse, Seventh Floor

The Tenth Annual Faculty Day affords an opportunity to pause from business as usual in order to recognize and celebrate the accomplishments of the Brooklyn College faculty. The day features a multidisciplinary conference—including symposia, a luncheon, poster sessions, and roundtable discussions—culminating in an awards ceremony and reception. At the conference, colleagues share their scholarly work and academic concerns with each other and their students. At the awards ceremony, individual members of the faculty are acknowledged for achievements in teaching, research, and service.

Faculty Day emerged out of a desire to develop a sense of community and to improve the quality of intellectual and social life on campus. It offers a unique occasion to engage in dialogue about our academic activities with colleagues from diverse disciplines as well as an opportunity to formally recognize our work. We invite you to participate in Faculty Day and contribute to Brooklyn College's professional vitality.

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